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FOR: Detection of Multiple Analytes from a Single Sample Using
a Multi-Well, Multi-Analyte Flow-Through Diagnostic Test Device

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of November 3, 2003, setting forth a requirement for restriction, Applicants provisionally elect the subject matter of Group III, Claims 47-56, drawn to a kit, classified in Class 422, Subclass 61.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 1-46 without prejudice.